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For: METHOD OF VIRTUAL PRIVATE NETWORK COMMUNICATION IN SECURITY  
GATEWAY APPARATUS AND SECURITY GATEWAY APPARATUS USING THE SAME

Enclosed are:

- 8 sheets of drawing.  
 An assignment of the invention, to  
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